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A. Amendments to the Specification:

Please add the following immediately after the title of the invention:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS:

This application is the National Stage of International Application No.

PCT/NL2004/000249, filed April 14, 2004, which claims the benefit of Netherlands Application No. NL 1023215, filed April 17, 2003, the contents of which is incorporated by reference herein.

Please add the following new paragraph immediately prior to page 1, line 5, and after the Cross Reference to Related Applications, as follows:

FIELD OF THE INVENTION:

Please add the following new paragraph immediately prior to page 1, line 20, as follows:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 20, as follows:

A printing device, ~~of this type~~ is known in the art, ~~and is also referred to~~ as a "piezo-DOD inkjet printer". ~~A device of this type~~ generally includes ~~comprises~~ a print head, which is arranged on a carriage which can move to and fro transversely with respect to the direction of movement of the substrate which is to be printed. The print head includes ~~comprises~~ at least one spray nozzle, generally a number, for example 8 or 16, for each colour, this nozzle being in communication with a flexible working container via a feed passage. Furthermore, the print head for each spray nozzle includes ~~comprises~~ a piezoelectric element for generating ink drops. A shockwave can be generated electrically in the print head by means of the piezoelectric element, with the result that each time each shockwave forms a drop from the printing medium. A drop of this type is only formed if it is required in order to print the substrate. This principle